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FOR:

SYSTEM AND METHOD

FOR EXTENDING SECURE **AUTHENTICATION USING** UNIQUE SESSION KEYS

DERIVED FROM ENTROPY

GENERATED BY

AUTHENTICATION

METHOD

"RESPONSE UNDER

37 C.F.R. §1.116 **EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Final Office Action, dated February 23, 2010 ("Final Action"), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.